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DISEASES ASSOCIATED WITH EXPOSURE TO CERTAIN ENVIRONMENT HAZARDS WHILE SERVING IN DESERT STORM OR IRAQ (08-02-1990 to PRESENT) AND IN AFGHANISTAN, DJIBOUTI, SYRIA, or UZBEKISTAN (09-19-2001 to PRESENT)

PER TITLE 38 CFR

- 1. <u>ASTHMA</u> (Must manifest within ten years of separation from military service)
- 2. <u>CHRONIC RHINITIS</u> (Must manifest within ten years of separation from military service)
- 3. <u>CHRONIC SINUSITIS</u> (Must manifest within ten years of separation from military service)
- 4. CHRONIC FATIGUE SYNDROME
- 5. FIBROMYALGIA
- 6. <u>FUNCTIONAL GASTROINTESTINAL DISORDERS (Excluding structural gastrointestinal</u> diseases)
- 7. CHRONIC BRONCHITIS
- 8. CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE (COPD)
- 9. CHRONIC BRONCHIOLITIS or OBLITERATIVE BRONCHIOLITIS
- 10. EMPHYSEMA
- 11. GRANULOMATOUS DISEASE
- 12. INTERSTITIAL LUNG DISEASE (ILD)
- 13. PLEURITIS
- 14. PULMONARY FIBROSIS
- 15. <u>SARCOIDOSIS</u>
- 16. BRAIN CANCER
- 17. GASTROINTESTINAL CANCER (any type)
- 18. GLIOBLASTOMA
- 19. HEAD CANCER (any type)
- 20. KIDNEY CANCER
- 21. LYMPHATIC CANCER (any type)
- 22. LYMPHOMA (any type)
- 23. MELANOMA
- 24. NECK CANCER (any type)
- 25. PANCREATIC CANCER
- 26. REPRODUCTIVE CANCER (any type)

27. RESPIRATORY (BREATHING-RELATED) CANCER (any type)

The information provided on this sheet is for general information only regarding presumptive service connection for Veterans who served in the Middle East. All Veterans are encouraged to complete a free <u>Gulf War Registry Health Examination</u> at the nearest VA Medical Center. For further assistance with filing VA disability compensation claims for Veterans or a survivor based upon these diseases or veteran benefits counseling in general, please contact our office.

Welcome home to our Persian Gulf and Global War on Terrorism Veterans and thank you for serving our country!

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